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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

William Schweitzer

US DISTRICT COURT E.D.N.Y.

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BROOKLYN OFFICE

Brooklyn Case # 5411502071

Plaintiff,

[Insert full name of plaintiff/prisoner]

CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLAINT

42 U.S.C. § 1983

JURY DEMAND

YES ☒ NO ☐

-against-

Det TABATHA Brunstein  
OF THE 122nd ST NY  
CITY OF NEW YORK  
2320 14th BLVD

CV 16-1172

MAUSKOPF, J.

BLOOM, M.J.

Defendant(s).

[Insert full name(s) of defendant(s). If you need additional space, please write "see attached" and insert a separate page with the full names of the additional defendants. The names listed above must be identical to those listed in Part I]

- I. **Parties:** (In item A below, place your name in the first blank and provide your present address and telephone number. Do the same for additional plaintiffs, if any.)

A. **Name of plaintiff** William Schweitzer

If you are incarcerated, provide the name of the facility and address:

Brooklyn Detention Complex  
275 Atlantic Avenue  
Brooklyn NY 11201

Prisoner ID Number: Brooklyn Case # 5411502071

If you are not incarcerated, provide your current address:

[Redacted Address]

Telephone Number:

[Redacted Telephone Number]

**B. List all defendants.** You must provide the full names of each defendant and the addresses at which each defendant may be served. The defendants listed here must match the defendants named in the caption on page 1.

Defendant No. 1

TABATHA Brunstern

Full Name

Det Police Dept

Job Title

122 present 2320

Hylan Blvd

Address

Defendant No. 2

TABATHA Partner also

Full Name

Det police det

Job Title

122 present

Hylan Blvd 2320

Address

Defendant No. 3

Full Name

Job Title

Defendant No. 4

Address

Full Name

Job Title

Address

Defendant No. 5

Full Name

Job Title

Address

**II. Statement of Claim:**

(State briefly and concisely, the facts of your case. Include the date(s) of the event(s) alleged as well as the location where the events occurred. Include the names of each defendant and state how each person named was involved in the event you are claiming violated your rights. You need not give any legal arguments or cite to cases or statutes. If you intend to allege a number of related claims, number and set forth each claim in a separate paragraph. You may use additional 8 ½ by 11 sheets of paper as necessary.)

Where did the events giving rise to your claim(s) occur? 1<sup>ST</sup> AT My house

When did the events happen? (include approximate time and date) Around 930  
AT Nile Not sure of Date Second  
was my Sentence Date

Facts: (what happened?) 1<sup>st</sup> I was with Family My House WAS shot up about 5 Bullets almost killing Me My Family Mother father Brother His Girlfriend + Her daughter + me Det TABATHA Bernstein 122 and Her partner Dragged Me to the present TACAS Comes My Phone interrogateding Me like I was the criminal They never Believed Me. That This Gang shot My House up There was Taxes saying IF I didnt pay such + such Money they will shoot My House up they didnt Care. Further Time went no Arrest Made again More Threats came to My Family so I had to pay I got arrested for Robbery being I was extorted again Det didnt Believe it. cause Me to Take GRS poison time Now. The internet shows this white racist Gang Anthony Nicoletti. He shot My House I seen Him but they dont Care My Family also seen Him Det protecting Roblamatic see to family Matter he lives on Rose Block

**II.A. Injuries.** If you are claiming injuries as a result of the events you are complaining about, describe your injuries and state what medical treatment you required. Was medical treatment received?

No Medical Treatment but hes put for alot of sike frame but they Never came to see Me. I became very Sickotic Depressed etc

III. **Relief:** State what relief you are seeking if you prevail on your complaint.

\$2 Million Dollars for Damages to My  
Name + Not Be protected from our  
New York forest cause I have a Record  
Judged Before the Meets. My Family + Me  
have Mental problems + My Freedom  
is gone.

I declare under penalty of perjury that on 3/4/2016, I delivered this  
(date)  
complaint to prison authorities at Brooklyn Detention Center to be mailed to the United  
(name of prison)  
States District Court for the Eastern District of New York.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: 3/4/2016

[Signature]  
Signature of Plaintiff

Brooklyn Detention Complex  
Name of Prison Facility or Address if not incarcerated

275 Atlantic Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Address

5411502071  
Prisoner ID#

EXCON  
 Racist Rampage RBK Krew (Anthony N. Keletti)  
 shoots Excon's house then shoots  
 girl + stabs a man. Police do  
 nothing on the scene of the  
 shooting of Excon's house. Racist  
 RBK Krew continues there destruction  
 of violence. This Gang is Gang of Rampage Agent OBAMA

EXCON (William Schweitzer) was  
 later arrested for a robbery. After  
 helicopter + police tracks from a  
 Robbery of Citgo Gas Station. Later  
 in Prison EXCON William Schweitzer  
 has no help and is discriminated  
 cause Excon is forced by lawyers  
 + Detectives + DA and they don't  
 listen to a word he says. To take pleasurs

EXCON is telling his lawyer + DA  
 Detectives all cases are winces but they  
 never ~~listen~~ listened with eye  
 witness and all ~~also~~ ~~Deals~~ ~~things~~  
~~that put you in the hospital~~ ~~to~~ ~~die~~  
~~DA~~ ~~Deals~~



2 ✓ I William Schweitzer Bc 5411502071 (718) 9790825  
166 Weed Ave ST NY 10306 would like (Father SR Schweitzer)

to Sue. on grounds that Det. Tabetha  
Breinstein <sup>12284</sup> did Nothing to protect my family  
or Make An Arrest on the case with  
evidence. Tex. Messages eye witness My family  
has shoot up thru My house I was intergated  
like a CRIMINAL I was a Victim I shoud  
then they wanten Money Det. Didnt Care.

The Shooters came back again so I had better  
Arrest For Robbery. that lead to that Det  
Still didnt Care with eye witness Causeing  
Me to Get Forced into 6 yrs Jail Time

Tabetha is protection, & Friend Rob Larentia  
I Believe her family was raised on the same  
Block I heard the Arrest should have been  
For Leader Anthony Nicoletti of RBK Gang Rceest  
Also he shot a woman after My house & STAB  
A Guy all over the internet. they don't want  
the publicity. the Girl was Black after ERIC GARDNER  
They hid it. she will be -

# Nothing can tear us But only make us stronger

## Gas-station heist will net him up to 6 years in prison

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on January 29, 2016 at 11:10 AM

STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. -- An ex-convict from New Dorp Beach won't need to worry about filling up his gas tank where he's going.

William Schweitzer has pleaded guilty to third-degree robbery stemming from a heist at a Dongan Hills service station on Nov 7 of last year. *A Me*

Schweitzer, 43, entered a Citgo station shortly before 5:30 a.m. and simulated he had a firearm under his clothing, an NYPD spokeswoman said.

Schweitzer snatched some cash before heading toward New Dorp on Hylan Boulevard in a tan-colored Ford Explorer, the spokeswoman said.

Police quickly mobilized, canvassing the surrounding area for the suspect and deploying aviation units.

A short time later, units from the 123<sup>rd</sup> Precinct found an abandoned vehicle matching the description of the suspect's getaway car on the corner of Clarke Avenue and Arthur Kill Road outside Historic Richmond Town, the police spokeswoman said.

NYPD aviation units found the suspect as he ran through residential backyards, tracking him to Colon Avenue in Great Kills where 122<sup>nd</sup> Precinct officers nabbed him at 6:40 a.m., the police spokeswoman said.

Police found \$315 on Schweitzer, but didn't recover a firearm, said the spokeswoman.

In exchange for his plea, the defendant will be sentenced Feb. 10 in Criminal Court to three to six years in prison, according to information from District Attorney Michael E. McMahon's office.

Assistant District Attorney Kate Malloy is prosecuting the case.

Schweitzer has previously served time upstate.

In 2003, he was sentenced to two to four years in prison after being convicted of two counts of third-degree burglary, show online records of the state Department of Corrections and Community Supervision.

Later, in 2009, he was again sentenced to two to four years behind bars for robbery and grand larceny convictions, according to those documents.



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Beginning: I GAVE Tommy/Anthony  
A ~~For~~ ~~the~~ ~~thought~~ ~~it was~~  
The Girl ~~the~~ ~~said~~ ~~at~~ ~~I~~ ~~pay~~ ~~you~~ ~~BALC~~ ~~when~~  
in the ~~I~~ ~~got~~ ~~paid~~ ~~the~~ ~~said~~ ~~we~~ ~~got~~ ~~to~~  
Then case Argument in Front My Brother & Father.  
Would Then he walked away & said I shoot your  
Never house up. ~~And then~~ ~~put~~ ~~in~~ ~~hospital~~  
Got ~~event~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~in~~ ~~hospital~~ ~~almost~~  
Shot IF Rob LAMANTIA: Text calls says  
GOPS that there going to shoot your House  
Listen IF you Dont pay 3x the Amount. I  
to Me SHOWED DAD & He SAID your gona  
& I pay Reelly. I SAID I guess I wont Then  
Wouldnt I TOLD him no Im only paying what  
have I owe. He Constantly threaten Me that they said  
had to For Days and said I was on My own.  
Do this ROB TOLD Me Tommy/Anthony had a 380 HANDGUN.  
Robbery Day later: I get Tex out about From  
Either Then I SAID Im with Family. Hours  
There WAS PASS. All OF Sudden Bullets came  
Ex Messages Threw My Windows almost hitting My  
here shoot Mother & Me I ran down stairs & out  
My Horse the Door cutting My Hand Badly windows  
IF they WAS SHOT. I MADE outside Fast seeing  
didnt Anthony pulling himself Back in the Car with  
Get the his gun TAKING OFF. My Accused Neighbor  
Money. came out on her Terrace seen Me out  
there her mouth open IN disbelief.  
Kat then called the Boss said you see Tommy/anth  
I SAID NO they just shoot my house up. o' everybody  
OCC I SAID yes he calls later said Tommy  
there WASNT him. Yea rite

I Took The Jail Time To prevent shooting My Lawyer  
He said cause of the names mentions other cases going on  
Detectives all they said was stop blowing smoke up my ass 2X  
DAD STAYED  
Took The Jail Time Cause family In Further Danger.  
I kept trying to get Rob to Talk But he would post MAFIA stuff on Facebook Dont see nothing here nothing not a shit with skulls! So I DeFriendened Him Never to Trust again v

to fall But detectives Didnt Believe me cause IM XCON  
they caused more fuck in the street. / The people that shoot Hook  
My lawyer left the room when I was with DA & Detectives  
Detectives: dragged Me To The present  
Tabatha her partner. Rite away yelling  
at me like I am the criminal He said  
you people all alike I got ~~friend~~ friend  
on the phone he was cop  
Narcotics. He said be careful they can  
make it worse that it might be better  
to not say nothing. I Told them  
about Everything except That I seen  
him at the house But said Rob No's  
he can get them Threw him cause I never  
New there real name Anyway Rob Did  
all the cop said was stop blowing  
smoke up my ass. Tabatha Took  
my phone Made copies on her phone  
of the Texas stating there shoot my  
house up + all the threats etc  
I never felt so discriminated against me  
ever then WHAT I JUST FELT,  
Next Day Fredson Called Samed Debevery Guy Pleaining it was it him:  
Months past? I have New Girl / New LIFE A  
Family Man Now. I went To Rehab so I can  
really do good for My New Family I come Home From  
Rehab: My Girl says Guys keeps calling & Texting.  
+ Even that her stalked her at a BAR. He said They  
were after Me also He said I have AIDS That I Told  
him That. He sent panic to all the girls I new. He  
Strangled his ex all kinds craziness to his wife.  
So I

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Home AFTER Rehab Clean.

IM Home Now: ROBS Circling My House  
 Now Dad say Kick his ass Mom's yelling  
 why you tell him that so I run  
 out after him catch in front of BART'S  
 House cuz I grab He is with Bart.  
 I SAID what the Fuck He says your wrong  
 your wrong - I SAID WTF you Talking About  
 He SAID They want Money Buy Friday 10:00  
 or these gung go after your Girl I SAID YEA  
 OK I pay Then He SAID fucken up you Talk  
 to my Girl I SAID THAT I only SAID - HELLO  
 That's all I DID Tony Ann Before Rehab  
 this is what it was all about. Then He Told  
 the Dealers again that IM setting them up  
 giving them Marked Money etc Sissy Spargo  
 had told me alot they gonna rob all kinds  
 of stuff him doing stuff behind my back  
 He Turned the Dealer's on Me & T. get They  
 To shoot My House up. after I WAS arrested My Truck Fand  
 Accross the street from Robs House.

I had To work fast: I went To work  
 For Victor SALA To come up with the Money  
 Fast Doing roofing: I needed the Money by Friday.

After Being Arrested I found the  
 Shooter In Jail He shot His Girlfriend  
 + STABBED A guy in the BACK. His Name  
 is Anthony Ricciardi. later I Here on Line  
 it said he kills families its a RBK gang.  
 against Black's I brought to the attention of  
 the DA the Detectives come again And They SAID

SAME Thing STOPING Blowing Smoke up My Ass. They wanted Me to say I seen him Shooting. I didnt even want to say nothing cause they But My Family In Further HARM. So they didnt get conviction or want to pursue it. As soon as we get out. Detectives phone rings He say its Friend Rob. Go Figure He Answers say, can you Meed at the Present.. Now they Must of Met him Now Neighbors Come to My Father and SAID F WAS RATING NOW They put My Family In More HARMS way. I herd TAPATHA Lived accross the street From Rob's parent's I dont no he said This.

There drugs also put me in the Hospital Many Times For low immune system Breakdown The cut they put into the Drug Almost Killed Me.

Dectives Took My 3 pages of people who were involved the cars the streets names etc From Me Then Never giving Me Any program any kind of Help again Felt Used Discriminated against.



Guy who  
Tried  
Shoot My  
Family  
Me &  
Ex's  
Told  
Me  
Det. Lawyer  
Didn't  
Come  
Course  
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## NYPD: Ex-con shot girlfriend in park, then told cops a black man did it

Cops Never Believed Me  
raciest GANG Tried to Kill  
My Family & ex's



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STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. -- An ex-con, whose older brother **orchestrated a notorious 2008 Election Night hate crime spree**, [[http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2008/11/suspects\\_in\\_staten\\_island\\_obam.html](http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2008/11/suspects_in_staten_island_obam.html)] shot his girlfriend in a Fort Wadsworth park, then told police that a black man committed the shooting, according to cops.

When police came upon **the scene at Von Briesen Park** [[http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2015/05/victim\\_still\\_in\\_intensive\\_care.html](http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2015/05/victim_still_in_intensive_care.html)] at about 4 a.m. Wednesday, they found Anthony Nicoletti, 23, by a park bench, yelling that his girlfriend had been shot, an NYPD spokeswoman said.

The girlfriend, age 22, had been hit in her lower back and her right wrist, and told officers only that she was in extreme pain, police said.

Nicoletti told officers that the two had been hanging out at the park when a black man he didn't know approached them, started shooting, and fled, according to police.

The victim was rushed to Staten Island University Hospital, Ocean Breeze, where she underwent surgery, police said.

Some time after the surgery, she told police that Nicoletti, not a mystery man, had shot her during an argument, police said. The NYPD spokeswoman couldn't say what sparked the argument.

Police arrested Nicoletti Saturday night at his Wadsworth Avenue home in Fort Wadsworth, where they found him hiding in the basement, cops said.

Nicoletti's brother, Ralph, **is serving a nine-year federal prison sentence** [[http://www.silive.com/northshore/index.ssf/2009/09/9\\_years\\_in\\_prison\\_for\\_ringlead.html](http://www.silive.com/northshore/index.ssf/2009/09/9_years_in_prison_for_ringlead.html)] for leading a racially-motivated rampage in response to Barack Obama's election in 2008.

He and three cohorts beat a 17-year-old Liberian immigrant with a metal pipe, and ran down another man with their car because they thought, incorrectly, that he was black.

Federal authorities said the group referred to itself as the "Rosebank Krew," and that Anthony Nicoletti was its founder.

At the time, police and federal investigators **found a note they believe was written by Anthony Nicoletti addressed to "All my RBK brothers"** [[http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2009/01/post\\_21.html](http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2009/01/post_21.html)] and signed by "The Biggest Boss Ever." It discussed how the RBK Brothers must stand strong together and not talk to the police, and referred to 10 "brothers" that could kill a person's family.

**He was later indicted on attempted murder and other charges.**

**[[http://www.silive.com/eastshore/index.ssf/2015/05/attempted-murder\\_indictment\\_in.html](http://www.silive.com/eastshore/index.ssf/2015/05/attempted-murder_indictment_in.html)]**

Nicoletti, who now lists a Brooklyn address, and his older brother, Ralph, have been fixtures in Staten Island crime stories for the past seven years.

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**Police arrested Anthony Nicoletti again in April 2010**

**[[http://www.silive.com/eastshore/index.ssf/2010/04/brother\\_of\\_election\\_night\\_ramp.html](http://www.silive.com/eastshore/index.ssf/2010/04/brother_of_election_night_ramp.html)]**, accusing him of ganging up on a romantic rival with two of his friends, hitting the man in the head with a glass bottle, and stealing his car.

He was convicted of attempted robbery in August 2010 and sentenced to 2 1/2 years in prison. He was released on parole in September 2012, and wound up re-arrested less than a month later, **on charges he robbed a friend of his cash and prescription pills**. [[http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2012/10/out\\_on\\_parole\\_for\\_less\\_than\\_a.html](http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2012/10/out_on_parole_for_less_than_a.html)] He was most recently released to parole in October 2013.

Anthony Nicoletti was slated to be arraigned in Criminal Court on the new arrest Wednesday. Public records show he's been ordered held without bail, and is due back in court Friday.

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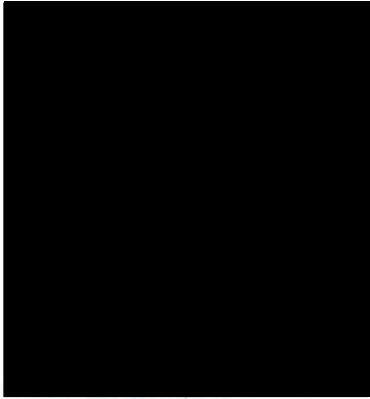
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Anthony Nicoletti - In Two Gangs  
Shooter  
I witness ed  
My family also  
Met him at  
my house

High Ranking  
Blood

He is in  
HOUNDS  
Blood Gang

## Ex-con who allegedly shot girlfriend now charged with stabbing buddy in back

Anthony Nicoletti, 23, who police say shot his girlfriend last May then tried to blame the crime on a fictitious black man, is now charged with stabbing a friend in the back on a Rosebank street corner.



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STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. -- A 23-year-old ex-con who police say shot his girlfriend last May, **then tried to blame the crime on a fictitious black man**, [[http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2015/05/nypd\\_ex-con\\_shot\\_girlfriend\\_in.html](http://www.silive.com/news/index.ssf/2015/05/nypd_ex-con_shot_girlfriend_in.html)] is now charged with stabbing a friend in the back on a Rosebank street corner.

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Nicoletti came upon one of his male friends, who was walking with a relative, by the corner of Tompkins Avenue and Hylan Boulevard, a law enforcement source said.

An argument followed, and Nicoletti stabbed his friend in the back, leaving a "gaping hole," and punched him in the face, sending his head into a metal fence, according to a criminal court complaint.

Police arrested him Tuesday morning, charging him with first- and second-degree assault, as well as third- and fourth-degree criminal possession of a weapon, according to information from Acting District Attorney Daniel Master's office.

Nicoletti, who faces attempted murder charges in the shooting case, was released on \$350,000 bond on Aug. 7. He was arrested again on Sept. 3 in a misdemeanor assault case, but released on \$1,000 bail.

The shooting took place at about 4 a.m. May 6, at Van Briesen Park in Fort Wadsworth, according to police.

Nicoletti shot his 22-year-old girlfriend in the lower back and right wrist during an argument, authorities allege. When police arrived, they found Nicoletti by a park bench, yelling that the woman had been shot, police said.

Nicoletti, who is white, told officers that the two had been hanging out at the park when a black man he didn't know approached them, started shooting, and fled.

The woman initially only told responding officers that she was in extreme pain, but identified Nicoletti as the shooter sometime after undergoing surgery in Staten Island University Hospital, Ocean Breeze.

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## Three Indicted in Staten Island Election Night Beatings

by [John Del Signore](#) in [News](#) on [Jan 8, 2009 4:58 pm](#)



While millions across New York City were celebrating Barack Obama's election victory on November 4th, a group of young Staten Island men went on a violent rampage that left two young black men beaten and another man in a coma, prosecutors say. Three of the alleged attackers were arraigned in Federal District Court in Brooklyn today and charged with conspiracy to interfere with voting rights in their efforts to "injure, oppress, threaten and intimidate" black people on election night, the Times reports. Each plead not guilty.

Prosecutors say Ralph Nicoletti, 18; Michael Contreras, 18; and Brian Carranza, 21; styled themselves as a gang called the "Rosebank Krew," or "RBK." On November 4th they gathered at a "makeshift outdoor clubhouse" to watch the election results on the Internet. After Obama's win, they decided to set out for an area of Staten Island they called "n-----town," according to the Daily News. Their first victim was 17-year-old Ali Kamara, a black Muslim who they allegedly beat with a metal pipe and a collapsible police baton while screaming, "Obama!"

After a number of other less-violent assaults, the RBK ran over a man wearing a hooded sweatshirt who they believed was black. It was 38-year-old Ronald Forte, a white supervisor at ShopRite; he spent 45 days in a coma. Forte's mother told reporters yesterday, "He has to learn how to walk and talk again. I have watched my son in a coma, for 45 days, while those boys were out. They left him in a gutter to die. I had to leave my job to take care of my 38-year-old son because of some senseless act, and it's never going to go away."

Carranza (pictured left) was freed on \$200,000 bond yesterday, but Contreras is being held until the state courts lift an order of protection barring him from being around his stepfather. As for Nicoletti—who's had a rap sheet since he was 14—the magistrate refused to release him on bail because prosecutors say he's trying to intimidate witnesses. His younger brother Anthony is currently doing time on Rikers for running people over, and the Staten Island Advance has it that FBI agents found a letter from Anthony in which he called himself "Boss Behind Bars" and asserted that he could "kill a person's family."

Photo of Bryan Garaventa, left, and Ralph Nicoletti, right, courtesy Staten Island Advance/Michael Oates.

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At the time of the rampage, Anthony Nicoletti was locked up on Rikers Island. He spent five months behind bars on an assault and criminal mischief case, and was released in March 2009.

**Police arrested him again in April 2010** [[http://www.silive.com/eastshore/index.ssf/2010/04](http://www.silive.com/eastshore/index.ssf/2010/04/brother_of_election_night_ramp.html)

**/brother\_of\_election\_night\_ramp.html**] , accusing him of ganging up on a romantic rival with two of his friends, hitting the man in the head with a glass bottle, and stealing his car.

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Nicoletti was arraigned in Stapleton Criminal Court Sunday on attempted murder, felony assault and weapon possession charges. He remains held without bail on Rikers Island until his next court appearance Friday.

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